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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 2d of *December*, 1795,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 3d of June last, for prohibiting the Exportation out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder or Salt-Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 7th Day of this instant December: And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the said Prohibition should be continued for some Time longer; His Majesty doth therefore, with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, require, prohibit and command, that no Person or Persons whatsoever (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the said 7th Day of this instant December, presume to transport, into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder or Salt-Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ship or lade any Gunpowder or Salt-Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the same Coastwise, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the Twenty-ninth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to impower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Salt-Petre, and to enforce the Law for impowering His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition; and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise of Salt-Petre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition:" — And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein as to them may respectively appertain. *Steph. Cottrell.*

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 2d of *December*, 1795,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 10th Day of June, 1795, prohibiting the transporting into any Parts out of this Kingdom any of the Wood called Lignum Vitæ, will expire on the 10th Day of this instant December: And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service that the said Prohibition should be continued for some Time longer; His Majesty doth therefore, with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, require, prohibit and command, that no Person or Persons whosoever do, at any

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any Time, for the Space of Six Months from the ſaid 10th Day of this inſtant December, export, or attempt to export, tranſport, carry or convey, or lade or lay on Board of any Ship, Veſſel or Boat, in order to be exported, tranſported, carried or conveyed out of this Kingdom, any of the Wood called Lignum Vitæ, without Leave or Permiſſion being firſt had and obtained from His Majeſty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring the Forfeitures inflicted by an Act paſſed in the Thirty-fourth Year of His Majeſty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for indemnifying "all Perſons who have been concerned in adviſing "or carrying into Execution an Order of the Lords "Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury reſpecting the Exportation of Pot-Aſhes or Pearl Aſhes; "for preventing Suits in conſequence of the ſame; "for authorizing His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation or carrying Coaſtwiſe of Pot-Aſhes or "Pearl-Aſhes, and for making further Proviſions "relative thereto." But it is nevertheleſs His Majeſty's Pleaſure, that nothing herein contained ſhall extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to prevent any Ship or Veſſel from taking or having on Board any of the ſaid Wood called Lignum Vitæ, which may be neceſſary for the Uſe of the ſaid Ship or Veſſel during the Courſe of her intended Voyage; nor to prevent the Exportation of the ſaid Wood called Lignum Vitæ to Ireland, or to His Majeſty's Iſlands of Guernſey, Jerſey, Alderney, Sark or Man, or to His Majeſty's Colonies or Plantations in America or the Weſt Indies, or to Newfoundland, or to His Majeſty's Forts and Settlements on the Coaſt of Africa, or to the Iſland of St. Helena, or to the Britiſh Settlements or Factories in the Eaſt Indies; provided that, upon the Exportation of the ſaid Wood called Lignum Vitæ to Ireland, or to His Majeſty's Iſlands of Guernſey, Jerſey, Alderney, Sark or Man, or to His Majeſty's Colonies and Plantations in America or the Weſt Indies, or to the Iſland of Newfoundland, or to His Majeſty's Forts and Settlements on the Coaſt of Africa, or to the Iſland of St. Helena, or the Britiſh Settlements or Factories in the Eaſt Indies, the Exporters of the ſaid Wood called Lignum Vitæ do firſt make Oath of the true Deſtination of the ſame to the Places for which it ſhall be entered Outwards, before the Entry of the ſame ſhall be made, and do give full and ſufficient Security, by Bond, to the Satisfaction of the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, to carry the ſaid Wood called Lignum Vitæ to the Places for which it is ſo entered Outwards, and none other: and ſuch Bond ſhall not be cancelled or delivered up until Proof be made, to the Satisfaction of the ſaid Commiſſioners, by the Production, within a Time to be fixed by the ſaid Commiſſioners, and ſpecified in the Bond, of a Certificate or Certificates, in ſuch Form and Manner as ſhall be directed by the ſaid Commiſſioners, ſhewing that the ſaid Wood called Lignum Vitæ has been duly landed at the Places for which it was entered Outwards —And the Right Honorable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

Steph. Cottrell.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 16th of *December*, 1795,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Twenty-ſixth Day of December, 1792, to promiſe and declare, that the Bounties of Five Pounds for every Able Seaman, and Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, fit for His Majeſty's Service, ſhould be paid in the Manner thereby directed to every ſuch Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who ſhould, on or before the Twenty-eighth Day of February then following, enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majeſty's Ships or Veſſels, or Officers employed on Shore for raiſing Men for the Service of the Royal Navy: And whereas His Majeſty was alſo graciouſly pleaſed, by his ſaid Proclamation, to declare, that all Able-bodied Landmen, not above the Age of Thirty-five nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who ſhould ſo enter themſelves as aforeſaid, ſhould receive the Sum of Thirty Shillings each Man, as His Majeſty's Royal Bounty: And whereas His Majeſty was alſo graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Sixteenth Day of the ſaid Month of February, 1793, to promiſe and declare, that a Reward of Twenty Shillings for every Able and Ordinary Seaman, fit on to ſerve board His Majeſty's Ships, ſhould be paid to any Perſon who ſhould diſcover any Seaman or Seamen who might conceal him or themſelves, ſo that ſuch Seaman or Seamen ſhould be taken for His Majeſty's Service, on or before the Thirtieth Day of April then next, by any of His Majeſty's Sea Officers appointed to raiſe Men on Shore, or by the Captains or Commanders of any of His Majeſty's Ships or Veſſels in the Ports or on the Coaſts of this Kingdom: And whereas the Time limited by the ſaid Proclamations for Payment of the

the ſaid Bounties and Reward, hath been prolonged and extended to the Thirty firſt Day of this inſtant December; and it being judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service that the ſaid Bounties and Reward ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer; His Majeſty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Time limited for Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Reward be prolonged and extended, from the ſaid Thirty-firſt Day of this inſtant December to the Twenty-eighth Day of February, 1796, inclusive: Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

Steph. Cottrell.

St. James's, December 22.

THE following Addreſſes have been preſented to the King; which Addreſſes His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Town Clerk, Brethren and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Derby, in Common Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Town Clerk, Brethren and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Derby, in Common Council aſſembled, beg Leave to approach your Majeſty with our moſt ſincere and heartfelt Congratulations on your late happy Eſcape from the atrocious Attack on your Perſon, at a Time when your Majeſty was engaged in one of the moſt important of your Royal Functions.

And we aſſure your Majeſty it is our moſt fervent Wiſh that you may long continue to reign in the Hearts and Affections of a loyal and united People.

Given under the Common Seal of the Borough of Derby the 8th Day of December, 1795.

John Hope, Mayor.

[*Preſented by Lord George Cavendiſh and Edward Coke, Eſq; Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid Borough.*]

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Bailiff, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and Liberties of Wenlock in the County of Salop, in Common Hall aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Bailiff, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and Liberties of Wenlock, in Common Hall aſſembled, beg Leave to approach your Royal Perſon, with the moſt dutiful and affectionate Sentiments of Veneration and Reſpect, to expreſs our Horror and Indignation at the daring Aſſault and abominable Outrage offered to the ſacred Perſon of your Majeſty in paſſing to and from your Parliament, at a Time too whilſt your Majeſty was in the Exerciſe of the Duties of your Crown, and performing your Part of our invaluable Conſtitution.

Whilſt we lament with heartfelt Concern that wicked and ſeditious Principles could have gone ſuch a Length as to endanger your Majeſty's Perſon, and expoſe to imminent Danger the Bleſſings which under Providence we owe to our unrivalled Conſtitution, and your Majeſty's paternal Regard and Affection for your People, we ſincerely congratulate your Majeſty and the whole Nation upon your providential Eſcape from the daring Attempts of a tumultuous and treaſonable Conſpiracy. And we look up to Parliament with a moſt earneſt Wiſh that by it's Wiſdom ſuch Meaſures may be deviſed as will hereafter render ſuch traiterous Deſigns abortive, and afford an infallible Security againſt Attempts ſo truly alarming, and at the ſame Time both dangerous to the publick Tranquillity and in direct Violation of the glorious Conſtitution, of which your Majeſty forms ſo important a Part.

With us it ſhall be our vigilant Care to inculcate upon conſtitutional Principles an inviolable Attachment to your Majeſty's Perſon, a dutiful Submiſſion to your Government, and a watchful Solicitude for the Preſervation of a Conſtitution, under which, by the Aid of Divine Providence, we reap every Bleſſing that can be enjoyed by a free, happy and loyal People.

George Foreſter, Bailiff.

[*Preſented by the Hon. John Simpſon, one of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid Town.*

Borough of Eveſham, in the County of Worceſter.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Capital Burgeſſes, Recorder and Chamberlain, with others the Inhabitants of the ſaid Borough, beg Leave to approach your Majeſty with heartfelt Joy for your late Eſcape from the horrid Attempts of ſome diabolical Aſſaſſins: And we alſo aſſure your Majeſty of our ſteady Fidelity and Loyalty, and our Deteſtation of ſuch inhuman and heinous Deſigns. With the above Impreſſions we humbly implore the Divine Being (who upon all Occaſions has manifeſted his Protection of this Kingdom, and more eſpecially in the extraordinary Inſtance of the Preſervation of your Royal Perſon) to continue to us the great Bleſſing of your Majeſty's Life, ſo abſolutely neceſſary to the Welfare of our moſt excellent Conſtitution, and the Happineſs of all your Subjects.

Given under our Hands, at the Guildhall of the ſaid Borough, the 4th Day of December, 1795.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Officers, Non-Commiſſioned Officers, and Privates of the Troop of Gentlemen and Yeomanry Cavalry of the Town of Lydd in Kent, deeply affected with Indignation at the unprovoked, daring and atrocious Inſult lately offered to your Majeſty's Perſon in going to and returning from your Parliament, beg Leave to approach the Throne with the moſt unanimous and cordial Congratulations on the providential Preſervation of our beloved Sovereign. Voluntarily united as we are in the Cauſe of good Order and Peace, we are at all Times ready to ſacrifice our Lives and Fortunes in the Protection of a

Life

Life ſo juſtly dear to us as your Majeſty's, in defeating the Attempts both of foreign and domeſtic Enemies, and in Defence of the eſtabliſhed Conſtitution of this Kingdom.

[*Preſented by Robert Cobb, Eſq; Captain.*]

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's loyal Subjects, the Commiſſioned, Non-commiſſioned Officers, and Privates of the Helſton Volunteer Corps, beg Leave to expreſs to your Majeſty our Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the late moſt atrocious and violent Attack upon your ſacred Perſon.

Pledged to ſupport our moſt excellent Conſtitution againſt all it's Enemies, we have only to aſſure your Majeſty, that we ſhall be ready, at all Times, to exert ourſelves to the utmoſt of our Power in the Defence of your Majeſty's Perſon and Dignity.

Signed at the unanimous Requeſt, and on the Behalf of the Corps,

Wm. Johns, Major Commandant.

[*Preſented by Charles Abbot, Eſq; one of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid Borough.*]

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Peterhead Volunteers.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's loyal and faithful Subjects, the Peterhead Volunteers, embodied for the Defence of our excellent Conſtitution, beg Leave humbly to congratulate your Majeſty on your late providential Deliverance from a daring and flagitious Attack on your precious Life.

That ſuch an Outrage could have been offered to your Majeſty's Perſon, ſacred by the Laws of the Land, and dear to every Briton whoſe Heart is alive to the Senſe of Gratitude and to the Eſteem of Goodneſs, was a Degree of Atrocity incredible, till the horrid Fact appeared.

To depreſs Principles that could lead to ſuch enormous Wickedneſs, we will ſtrive by all the Powers that Heaven has beſtowed upon us; and we humbly truſt, that ſuch legal Meaſures ſhall be adopted by the Wiſdom of Parliament, as may effectually protect your Majeſty's Perſon againſt all future Inſult; and preſerve inviolate, to Poſterity, that ineſtimable Conſtitution which is the Glory and Bleſſing of Britain, and of which your Majeſty is the Head and the faithful Guardian.

Signed, by the unanimous Deſire of the Corps, at Peterhead, the 8th Day of December, 1795,

William Ferguſon, Captain of the Battery Company.

John Hutcheſon, Captain of the Infantry Company.

[*Preſented by James Ferguſon, Eſq; Repreſentative in Parliament for the County of Aberdeen.*]

St. James's, December 22.

THE following Addreſſes having been tranſmitted or delivered to the Right Honorable Henry Dundas, His Majeſty's Principal Secretary of State for the War Department, have been by him preſented to the King; which Addreſſes His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

Unto the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Magiſtrates, Town Council, and Inhabitants of the Royal Borough of Wigtown, impreſſed with the deepeſt Feelings of Sorrow and Indignation at the late Inſult offered to your Majeſty's ſacred Perſon by ſome miſguided Individuals, the Inſtruments of deſigning and turbulent Men, are deſirous of joining the general Voice of the Nation in Congratulation on your Majeſty's Safety.

While we live in Tranquillity and Security, under a Conſtitution the beſt that ever was framed, protected in our Lives and Properties by known and equitable Laws, we obſerve with Satisfaction the Meaſures purſuing by Parliament for the better Preſervation of your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, and for preventing the Diſſemination of Sedition, Meaſures rendered neceſſary, we lament, from the preſent Spirit of the Times.

A Monarch endued with every publick and private Virtue, and a People poſſeſſing every Degree of rational Liberty, has long been the Boaſt of the Empire; and it is our ardent Prayer that this Boaſt may continue, with equal Truth, to be made by every Briton to the lateſt Ages.

Signed, in Preſence and by Appointment of the Meeting, at Wigtown, this 11th of December, 1795, by

Alex. Burton, Baillie.

[*Tranſmitted by Earl Galloway.*]

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Freeholders, Juſtices of the Peace, Commiſſioners of Supply, and Inhabitants of the County of Kinroſs.

WE, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Freeholders, Juſtices of the Peace, Commiſſioners of Supply, and Inhabitants of the County of Kinroſs, beg Leave to preſent to your Majeſty our unfeigned Congratulations on the providential Eſcape your Majeſty has lately experienced from the daring Outrage offered to your Majeſty's Perſon, in paſſing to the Houſe of Parliament. Deeply affected with a Senſe of ſuch a flagrant Inſtance of Licentiouſneſs, which we cannot reflect on without Deteſtation and Abhorrence, we humbly beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty of our ſteady Attachment to your Majeſty's Perſon, Crown and Dignity, and of our firm Reſolution to cultivate and maintain, in our County, as far as in us lies, that Spirit of Peace, Harmony, and good Behaviour, ſo agreeable to your Majeſty's Wiſhes, and ſo eſſential to the Happineſs and Well-being of your People.

It is our fervent Prayer, that your Majeſty may long continue to reign on the Throne of theſe Kingdoms, and in the Hearts of a loyal, faithful, and united People.

Signed, in Name and Preſence of the Meeting,

A. Park, Preſes and Dep. Lieut.

Kinroſs, Dec. 12, 1795.

Whitehall,

Whitehall, December 22.

As ſeveral Artificers and Manufacturers, Subjects of Great Britain, have, from Time to Time, gone into Foreign Countries to exerciſe their ſeveral Callings, contrary to the Laws of theſe Kingdoms, the following Abſtracts of Acts of Parliament of Their late Majeſties King George the Firſt and Second and of His preſent Majeſty, for preventing ſuch Practices, are publiſhed, for the Information of all Perſons who may be ignorant of the Penalties they may incur by Diſobedience to them: And it will be obſerved, that ſuch Penalties likewiſe extend to thoſe who are any ways concerned or inſtrumental in the Sending or Enticing Artificers or Manufacturers out of theſe Kingdoms, or in the Exportation of the Tools and Inſtruments uſed by them, as well as to the Artificers or Manufacturers themſelves.

Statute 5 George I. *Chap.* 27.

IF any Perſon ſhall contract with, entice, or ſolicit, any Artificer in Wool, Iron, Steel, Braſs, or other Metal, Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer of Great Britain, to go into Foreign Countries out of the King's Dominions, and ſhall be convicted thereof, upon Indictment or Information in any of the Courts at Weſtminſter, or at the Aſſizes or Quarter-Seſſions, he ſhall be fined any Sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED POUNDS for the firſt Offence, and ſhall be impriſoned Three Months, and till the Fine be paid. And if any Perſon having been once convicted ſhall offend again he ſhall be fined at the Diſcretion of the Court, and impriſoned Twelve Months, and till the Fine be paid.

If any of the King's Subjects, being ſuch Artificers, ſhall go into any Country out of His Majeſty's Dominions, to exerciſe or teach the ſaid Trades to Foreigners; and if any of the King's Subjects in any ſuch Foreign Country, exerciſing any of the ſaid Trades, ſhall not return into this Realm within Six Months after Warning given by the Ambaſſador, Miniſter or Conſul of Great Britain, in the Country where ſuch Artificers ſhall be, or by any Perſon authoriſed by ſuch Ambaſſador, &c or by one of the Secretaries of State, and from henceforth inhabit within this Realm; ſuch Perſons ſhall be incapable of taking any Legacy, or of being an Executor or Adminiſtrator, or of taking any Lands, &c. within this Kingdom, by Deſcent, Deviſe or Purchaſe, and ſhall forfeit all Lands, Goods, &c. within this Kingdom, to His Majeſty's Uſe, and ſhall be deemed Alien, and out of His Majeſty's Protection.

Upon Complaint made, upon Oath, before any Juſtice of Peace, that any Perſon is endeavouring to ſeduce any ſuch Artificer, or that any ſuch Artificer hath contracted or is preparing to go out of His Majeſty's Dominions, for the Purpoſes aforeſaid, ſuch Juſtice may ſend his Warrant to bring the Perſon complained of before him, or before ſome other Juſtice; and if it ſhall appear by the Oath of one Witneſs, or by Confeſſion, that he was guilty of any of the ſaid Offences, ſuch Juſtice may bind him to appear at the next Aſſizes or Quarter Seſſions: And, if ſuch Perſon ſhall refuſe to give Security, the Juſtice may commit him to Goal till the next Aſſizes or Quarter Seſſions, and until he ſhall be delivered by due Courſe of Law. And if any ſuch Artificer ſhall be convicted, upon Indictment, of any ſuch Promiſe, Contract, or Preparation to go beyond the Seas for the Purpoſe aforeſaid, he ſhall give ſuch Security to the King not to depart out of His Majeſty's Dominions, as ſuch Court ſhall think reaſonable, and ſhall be impriſoned till Security given.

If any of the above Offences ſhall be committed in Scotland, the ſame ſhall be proſecuted in the Court of Juſticiary, or the Circuits there.

Statute 23 George II. *Chap.* 13.

IF any Perſon ſhall contract with, or endeavour to ſeduce any Artificer in Wool, Mohair, Cotton or Silk, or in Iron, Steel, Braſs, or other Metal, or any Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer in any other of the Manufactures of Great Britain or Ireland, to go out of this Kingdom or Ireland, into any Foreign Country not within the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, and ſhall be convicted, upon Indictment or Information, in the King's Bench at Weſtminſter, or by Indictment at the Aſſizes or General Gaol Delivery for the County, &c. wherein ſuch Offence ſhall be committed in England, or by Indictment in the Court of Juſticiary, or any of the Circuit Courts in Scotland, or by Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Dublin, if ſuch Offence be committed in Ireland; the Perſon ſo convicted ſhall, for every Artificer contracted with, or ſeduced, forfeit FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, and ſhall ſuffer Impriſonment in the Common Goal of the County or Stewartry wherein ſuch Offender ſhall be convicted, for Twelve Calendar Months, and until Forfeiture be paid: And in Caſe of a ſubſequent Offence of the ſame Kind, the Perſons ſo again offending ſhall forfeit, for every Perſon contracted with or ſeduced, ONE THOUSAND POUNDS, and ſhall ſuffer Impriſonment in the Common Gaol of the County or Stewartry wherein ſuch Offender ſhall be convicted, for Two Years, and until ſuch Forfeiture be paid.

If any Perſon in Great Britain or Ireland ſhall put on Board any Ship or Boat, not bound directly to ſome Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to ſome other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, any ſuch Tools or Utenſils as are commonly uſed in, or proper for the Preparing, Working up or Finiſhing of the Woollen or Silk Manufactures or any Part of ſuch Tools, he ſhall, for every Offence, forfeit all ſuch Tools, or Parts thereof, put on Board, and TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c. in any Court of Record at Weſtminſter, or in the Court of Seſſion in Scotland, or at any of the Four Courts in Dublin reſpectively, wherein no Eſſoin, &c. ſhall be allowed.

It ſhall be lawful for any Officer of the Cuſtoms in Great Britain, or for any Officer of the Revenue in Ireland, to ſeize and ſecure, in ſome of His Majeſty's Warehouſes, all ſuch Tools or Utenſils prohibited to be exported, as ſuch Officer ſhall find on Board any Veſſel not bound directly to ſome Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to ſome other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain; and all Tools ſo ſeized ſhall, after Condemnation, be publickly

lickly ſold to the beſt Bidder; and one Moiety of the Produce ſhall be to the Uſe of His Majeſty, and the other Moiety to the Officer who ſhall ſeize and ſecure the ſame.

If the Captain of any Veſſel in Great Britain or Ireland knowingly permit any of the ſaid Tools, prohibited to be exported, to be put on Board his Veſſel, he ſhall, for every ſuch Offence, forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as the Penalties inflicted upon Perſons exporting the Tools; and, if the Veſſel belongs to His Majeſty, the Captain ſhall not only forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, but ſhall alſo forfeit his Employment, and be incapable of any Employment under His Majeſty.

If any Officer of the Cuſtoms in Great Britain, or of the Revenue in Ireland, take, or knowingly ſuffer to be taken, any Entry outward, or ſign any Cocket or Sufferance for the Shipping or Exporting of any of the ſaid Tools, or knowingly ſuffer the ſame to be done, he ſhall forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as aforeſaid, and alſo forfeit his Office, and be incapable of any Office under His Majeſty.

One Moiety of the Forfeitures ſhall be applied to the Uſe of His Majeſty, and the other Moiety to the Uſe of the Perſon who ſhall ſue for the ſame.

Statutes 14, 21, 25 *and* 26 *of His preſent Majeſty.*

BY theſe Statutes the like Penalties and Forfeitures as above mentioned are extended to Perſons packing or putting on board any Veſſel, not bound directly for ſome Port in Great Britain or Ireland, any Machine, Engine, Tool, Preſs, Paper, Utenſil or Implement whatſoever, uſed in or proper for the working or finiſhing of the Cotton, Linen, Steel or Iron Manufactures of this Kingdom, or any Part or Parts of ſuch Machines or Implements, or any Models or Plans thereof; and all Captains of Ships and other Perſons receiving or being in Poſſeſſion of any ſuch Articles, with an Intent to export the ſame to Foreign Parts, and all Cuſtom-houſe Officers ſuffering an Entry to be made thereof, are reſpectively liable to the like Penalties as are above mentioned, in the Caſe of Tools and Utenſils uſed in the Woollen and Silk Manufactures.

St. James's, December 21.

THE Chapel Royal at St. James's Palace will be opened for Divine Service on Friday the 25th Inſtant, being Chriſtmas Day.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 18, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that there will be no Drawing-Room at St. James's till Monday the 18th of January, 1796, when Her Majeſty's Birth-Day will be kept.

Crown-Office, December 22.

MEMBERS returned to ſerve in the preſent PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Weſtbury.

Edward Wilbraham Bootle, Eſq; in the room of Samuel Eſtwick, ſen. Eſq; deceaſed.

Shire of Haddington.

Hew Hamilton Dalrymple, Eſq; younger, of North Berwick, in the room of John Hamilton, Eſq; who hath accepted the Office of Receiver-General of the Land-Tax in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland.

Weſtminſter, December 22.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Charles Scudamore Ward, of Maidenhead in the County of Berks, Gentleman, to be a Maſter Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Commiſſion in the Eſſex Militia, *ſigned by the Lord Lieutenant.*

Weſtern Battalion. Enſign James Wilſon to be Lieutenant, vice Tower, reſigned. Dated December 17, 1795.

ESCAPE.

WHereas Richard Lee, late of the Strand, in the County of Middleſex, Bookſeller, ſtands indicted for publiſhing a traiterous and ſeditious Libel intitled "King Killing," and alſo for publiſhing Two other traiterous and ſeditious Libels, and being apprehended and conveyed, by Lord Chief Juſtice Kenyon's Tipſtaff, to the Houſe of Thomas Wright, One of the Officers of the Sheriff of Middleſex, for ſafe Cuſtody until he ſhould find Sureties to anſwer the ſaid Indictments or be committed to Priſon, eſcaped out of ſuch Cuſtody on the Evening of Wednesday the 9th Day of this Inſtant December: The Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, in

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Admiralty-Office, December 15, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, that a Seſſion of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Juriſdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Juſtice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, on Friday the 22d Day of January next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Evan Nepean.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, December 5, 1795.

THE Commiſſioners and Governors of the ſaid Hoſpital hereby give Notice, that at Salters Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 16th Day of March next, or as ſoon after as conveniently may be, the under mentioned Farms and other Eſtates will be let on Leaſes, to commence upon the Days or Times ſet forth below; that is to ſay; Weſt Deanraw, Middle Deanraw, and Bacons Tedcaſtle Farms, in the Pariſh of Warden, and Low Rawgreen Copyhold Farm, in the Pariſh of Hexham, in the County of Northumberland, and Four Shops, with ſmall Rooms below and Chambers above, lately built, and Two other Shops under the Moothal at Keſwick, as alſo the Tolls at Keſwick and Williamſon's Cloſe, in the Pariſh of Croſthwaite, in the County of Cumberland.

Such Perſons as may be deſirous to take any of the ſaid Farms or other Eſtates are requeſted to deliver or ſend their Propoſals in Writing to John Ibbetſon, Eſq; at Greenwich Hoſpital, at any Time before the 16th Day of March next, or on that Day, between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon and One

o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters-Hall in London; after which laſt mentioned Time no Propoſals will be received; and for Particulars of all or any of the ſaid Farms and other Eſtates to be let as aforeſaid, to apply to Meſſ. Walton and Turner, Receivers for the ſaid Hoſpital, or to the Bailiffs in their reſpective Diſtricts.

The Farms in the Pariſh of Warden will be let for Ten Years, and the Low Rawgreen Copyhold Farm for Three Years, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1796; and each Shop, with its Appurtenances, and the Tolls, and Williamſon's Cloſe reſpectively, will be let ſeparately for Seven Years, to commence upon the 5th Day of April, 1796.

N. B. The Shops are exceedingly well ſituated, being in the central Part of the Market Town of Keſwick.

Navy-Office, December 17, 1795.

THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 23d Inſtant, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat for the Sale of the Ship Eagle, Burthen 294 Tons, late a Tranſport in His Majeſty's Service, now lying at Portſmouth; where any Perſon may have the Liberty of viewing her during the common Working Hours of the Yard until the Day above mentioned.

Inventories of her Stores may be had here and at the Yard.

All Tenders from Perſons in Town muſt be put into the Box in the Lobby of this Office before Twelve o'Clock on the Day of Sale. Letters brought by the Poſt, on or before the Day of Sale, will be received as Tenders for the Purchaſe.

THIS DAY IS PUBLISHED,

By Authority,

THE TREATY of AMITY, COMMERCE, and NAVIGATION, between His BRITANNICK MAJESTY and the UNITED STATES of AMERICA: Signed at London November 19, 1794.

Alſo the TREATY of DEFENSIVE ALLIANCE between His BRITANNICK MAJESTY and the EMPRESS of RUSSIA: Signed at Peterſburgh February 18, 1795.

And the TREATY of DEFENSIVE ALLIANCE between His BRITANNICK MAJESTY and the EMPEROR of GERMANY: Signed at Vienna, May 20, 1795.

Printed by E. Johnſton, in Warwick-Lane.

THE Partnerſhip between Willlam Barrow and Matthew Monkhouſe, Clerk, in a certain Furnace and other Iron Works called Lirhowy Works, ſituate in the Pariſh of Bedwelty in the County of Monmouth, carried on under the Firm of William Barrow and Co. was by mutual Conſent diſſolved on the 31ſt of January laſt, 1795. All Perſons having any Claim or Demand on the ſaid Partnerſhip Concern, previous and up to the ſaid 1ſt Day of January laſt, are deſired to tranſmit a Particular of ſuch their Demands to Mr. Joſeph Harriſon, at the Bank in Abergavenny, Monmouthſhire, in order to their being adjuſted and diſcharged; and all Perſons who ſtand indebted to the ſaid Partners and Partnerſhip Concern up to the ſaid 1ſt Day of January laſt, are requeſted forthwith to pay their reſpective Debts to the ſaid Joſeph Harriſon, who is duly authorized to receive the ſame, otherwiſe they will be proceeded againſt without further Notice. Dated November 23, 1795.

Wm. Barrow.
Matt. Monkhouſe.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Partnerſhip of Joſeph Broomhead and John Borwick, of Sheffield in the County of York, Cutlers, was this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent; as witneſs their Hands this 16th Day of December, 1795.

Joſeph Broomhead.
John Borwick.

December 19, 1795.

THE Partnerſhip lately carried on between James Balfour and William Strahan, of Ruſſell-Court, Drury-Lane, Shoemakers, under the Firm of Balfour, Strahan and Co. was this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent: All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to pay their Debts to the ſaid William Strahan, by whom all Claims on the ſaid Partnerſhip will be diſcharged.

Ja. Balfour.
Wm. Strahan.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Partnerſhip lately carried on by George Croſs and John Froſt, of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull, Sail-Cloth and Sacking-Manufacturers, under the Firm of Croſs and Froſt, was this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent: All Perſons who have any Demand on the ſaid Copartnerſhip are requeſted to tranſmit an Account thereof to the ſaid George Croſs, by whom the ſame will be diſcharged; and ſuch Perſons as ſtand indebted to the ſaid Copartnerſhip are requeſted to pay their reſpective Debts to the ſaid George Croſs, who is legally authorized to receive the ſame. Dated this 17th Day of December, 1795.

Geo. Croſs.
John Froſt.

Newcaſtle under Lyme, November 18, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, That the Copartnerſhip lately ſubſiſting between George Mayer and John Crewe, both of Newcaſtle under Lyme, in the County of Stafford, Surgeons and Apothecaries, under the Firm of Mayer and Crewe, was by mutual Conſent diſſolved on the 1ſt Day of this Inſtant November; and all Debts due to and from the ſaid Copartnerſhip will be received and paid by the ſaid John Crewe.

George Mayer.
John Crewe.

Newcaſtle, December 3, 1795.

NOtice is hereby given, That the Partnerſhip between Margaret Langlands and John Roberſton, of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, Goldſmiths and Jewellers, was diſſolved on the 10th Day of June laſt by mutual Conſent. All Perſons who have any Demands upon the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to ſend an Account of the ſame to the ſaid Margaret Langlands, at the Shop of John Langlands (lately occupied by Meſſrs. Langlands and Robertſon) in the Side, Newcaſtle aforeſaid, or to the ſaid John Robertſon, at the Shop of Meſſrs. Robertſon and Darling, Dean-Street, in Newcaſtle aforeſaid, in order that the ſame may be diſcharged. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip are deſired to pay their reſpective Debts to the ſaid Margaret Langlands or John Robertſon.

Margaret Langlands.
John Robertſon.

THE Copartnerſhip between Louis Beauvais and James Johnſon, of Bruton-Place, Berkley-Square, in the County of Middleſex, Wine-Merchants, was diſſolved by mutual Conſent on the 1ſt Day of Auguſt, 1794; and all Perſons who have any Claims or Demands upon the ſaid Copartnerſhip are deſired to ſend the ſame to Meſſrs. Beauvais and Son, in Charles-Street, Berkley-Square, or Mr. Johnſon, of Bruton Place aforeſaid: As witneſs our Hande,

L. Beauvais.
Ja. Johnſon.
Beauvais and Son.

THE Partnerſhip which has ſubſiſted for many Years paſt between Thomas Haig and Thomas Chippendale, of St. Martin's-Lane in the County of Middleſex, Cabinet-Makers and Upholſterers, (under the Firm of Haig and Chippendale) was diſſolved on the 31ſt Day of December, 1794, by mutual Conſent, the ſaid Thomas Haig having then quitted the Partnerſhip and retired from Buſineſs; from which Time the Trade has been carried on and will be continued by the ſaid Thomas Chippendale, in Partnerſhip with John Peareth, their late Bookkeeper. All Debts due from and to the ſaid late Partnerſhip of Haig and Chippendale will be paid and received by the preſent Partners, Chippendale and Peareth: Witneſs their Hands this 19th Day of December, 1795.

Tho. Haig.
Tho. Chippendale.
John Peareth.

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London. And to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lion Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella English underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

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RICH and HEAPY's CREDITORS.

THE Bill-Holders and others, Creditors of Messr. Rich and Heapy, Bankrupts, are requested forthwith to send an Account of their Debts, with the Particulars of the Bills they hold, to Messr. Walton and Son, Girdlers Hall, Basinghall-Street, London, Solicitors under the Commission.

Million Bank, Nag's Head Court, Gracechurch Street, December 16, 1795.

THE Directors of the said Bank give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at their said House on Friday the 8th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to ballot upon the following Question;

"That an Application be made to Parliament for Leave to "bring in a Bill for the Purpose of dissolving the Society, and "making a Division of the Property of the said Bank;" and that the Ballot will be open from Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon till Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.

By the Deed of Settlement no Person can vote by Proxy, nor unless possessed of 300l. Stock in his or her own Name and Right.

JOHN HARRISON, Secretary.

ALL Persons having any Demand on the Estate of Hew Dalrymple, Esq; who died at Eltham in Kent in September, 1795, are desired to send an Account of the same, with the Nature of their Securities, to his Executor, R. Douglas, No. 4, Suffolk-Street, London; and all Persons indebted to the Estate of the said Hew Dalrymple are requested to make immediate Payment of such Debts to the before-named Executor.

GENERAL JOHNSTON's ESTATE.

ALL Persons having any Claims or Demands on the Estate of General James Johnston, late of Weston, near Bath, in the County of Somerset, and of St. James's Place in the County of Middlesex, deceased, are desired to send an Account thereof forthwith either to Mr. Daniel Robinson, Gray's Inn Place, or Mr. Clarke, Attorney, at Bath.

ALL Persons to whom the Estate of Mr. Edward Mara, late of Great St. Helen's, London, Attorney, deceased, and of his Widow Elizabeth Mara, late of the same Place, and afterwards of Church-Street, Stoke Newington, also deceased, are now indebted, are requested forthwith to send an Account of their respective Demands to William Lee, of Lothbury, London, Solicitor for the Executors of the said Elizabeth Mara, in order to their being adjusted; and all Persons indebted to the said Edward Mara, or his said Widow, are desired forthwith to pay the respective Debts due from them to the said William Lee, who is authorized to receive the the same.

WHereas John Cowley, late of Basinghall-Street, London, Blackwell-Hall Factor, against whom, together with Francis Field, a Commission of Bankrupt under the Great Seal of Great Britain hath been awarded and issued, by the Description of John Cowley and Francis Field, late of Basinghall-Street, London, Blackwell-Hall Factors, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, having been duly declared a Bankrupt, and having been required to surrender himself to the Commissioners named in the said Commission, hath not surrendered himself within the Time limited by the Act of Parliament made for that Purpose, any Person or Persons who will give Information to Messr. Douce and Rivington, of Fenchurch-Buildings, London, Solicitors to the said Commission, whether the said John Cowley is living, and if so where the said John Cowley may be found or heard of, or whether the said John Cowley is now dead, and when he died, shall be handsomely rewarded for their Trouble.

PUrsuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Bosworth and others against Barker and another, the Creditors of Charles Baker, formerly of Plaistow in the County of Essex, Gentleman, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Nicholas Smith, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Order

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 18th Day of July, 1795, made in a Cause Jasper Winscom and another against John Twynam and others, the Creditors of Hinton Talmadge, late of the Parish of Whitchurch in the County of Southampton, Gentleman, who died on the 3d of August, 1793, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before John Simeon, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Wood against Mackenzie, any Persons claiming to be next of Kin of Alexander Mackenzie, late of Southall in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased, (who died on the 25th Day of June, 1793) are, on or before the 12th Day of February next, to come in and make out their Claims before John Spranger, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be re-sold by publick Roup, within the House of John M'Kechany, Vintner, in Greenock, on Wednesday the 6th of January, 1796, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, the Cutter or Vessel, Rover, (formerly called the Prince of Wales, and then employed in the Service of the Revenue of Excise in Scotland) of the Burthen of 144 $\frac{28}{94}$ Tons, with all her Tackle, Stores and Furniture, as she at present lies in the Harbour of Greenock, together with a Quantity of Iron Ballast. The above Vessel is about Eight Years old, stout built, and a remarkable fast Sailer, pierced for Fourteen Guns, and mounts Eight Twelve-Pounder Carronades and Two long Six-Pounders. She is well found in every Respect, and has a British Register.

The Inventory and Conditions of Sale to be seen with Hunter Robertson and Co. Merchants, in Greenock, who will shew the Vessel and Materials any Time betwixt and the Day of Sale.

The above Vessel was purchased, in the Month of April last, from the said Hunter Robertson and Co. by William Fraser, of

of Tweedmouth in the County of Northumberland, and Part of the agreed Price paid by him; but he having left Tweedmouth, and (as the ſaid Hunter Robertſon and Co. are informed) gone Abroad, without receiving the Veſſel or paying up the Balance of the Price, ſhe is now to be ſold on Account and at the Riſque of the ſaid William Friezer: And theſe Particulars are inſerted in this Advertiſement, in order that he may obtain Information of the intended Sale, and, if ſo inclined, to pay the Balance of the agreed Price, and receive the Veſſel.

Greenock, December 12, 1795.

TO be reſold, purſuant to Two ſeveral Orders of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Land againſt Devaynes, before John Wilmot, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, in the publick Sale Room of the ſaid Court of Chancery, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on Tueſday the 26th Day of January next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, (in Two Lots) Two Subſcription Shares of the Navigation under an Act of Parliament for extending and continuing the Navigation of the River Wey, or Wye, in the County of Surry, to the Town of Godalming, in the ſaid County, Part of the Eſtate of Sir Robert Barker, Baronet, deceaſed.

Lot 1. One Subſcription Share of 800l. in the ſaid Navigation, by Way of Mortgage, bearing an Intereſt of 5l. per Cent. and ſecured on the Tolls of the ſaid Navigation.

Lot 2. Another Share of 125l. in the ſaid Navigation, by Way of Mortgage, bearing an Intereſt of 5l. per Cent. and ſecured on the Tolls of the ſaid Navigation.

Printed Particulars may be had (gratis) at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings aforeſaid; of Meſſrs. Winterbottom and Heylyn, Threadneedle-Street, London; of Mr. Davis, Carey-Street; of Mr. Benbow, Stone-Buildings, Lincoln's Inn; or of Mr. Peacock, Auctioneer, at Godalming.

TO be reſold, before Abel Moyſey, Eſq; Deputy to His Majeſty's Remembrancer of the Court of Exchequer, at Linton's Hotel, Worceſter, on Wedneſday the 13th Day of January next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, purſuant to an Order of the Court, Mansfield and others againſt Cookſey and others, bearing Date the 24th of November, 1795, The Manor of Braces Leigh, in the Pariſh of Luliſley, in the County of Worceſter, comprising a capital Manſion Houſe, with Offices, and Three Dwelling Houſes for Workmen, and nearly Four Hundred Acres of Land. For Particulars apply at the Office of the ſaid Deputy Remembrancer in the Inner Temple, London.

WHereas by a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Sykes and others againſt Poole, it is referred to Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, to enquire whether William Ward, the Son of Mary Ward, late of Old Gravel-Lane, in the Pariſh of St. George in the Eaſt, in the County of Middleſex, Widow, deceaſed, (and which ſaid William Ward was, in the Month of April, 1777, impreſſed into His Majeſty's Navy, and ſailed for New York in North America on Board a Tranſport called the Jenny, and ſhortly after his Arrival there is ſuppoſed to have entered as a common Soldier into a Regiment called the Queen's Wood Rangers, or ſome other Regiment, and to have died in the Courſe of the ſaid Year 1777) be living or dead, and, if dead, when he died.—The ſaid William Ward, if living, is therefore to come in before the ſaid Maſter, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and make out his Claim under the Will of the ſaid Mary Ward, deceaſed. And if the ſaid William Ward be dead, his next of Kin are, either in Perſon or by their Solicitors, to come in before the ſaid Maſter, and prove his Death, and make out their Claims under the ſaid Will, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree. And any Perſon or Perſons who can give Information whether the ſaid William Ward be living or dead, and, if dead, when and where he died, they are requeſted to give ſuch Information to the ſaid Maſter, or to Mr. Gregſon, Attorney at Law, Copthall-Court, London.

THE Creditors of John Winter, late of Cavendiſh-Street, and Harley-Mews, Cavendiſh-Square, in the County of Middleſex, Shoe-Maker, (under the late Inſolvent Act) are requeſted to meet on Monday the 28th Day of December inſtant, at the Sign of the White Hart, in Wigmore-Street, Cavendiſh-Square aforeſaid, at Six o'Clock in the Evening of the ſame Day, in order to chuſe an Aſſignee or Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid John Winter, purſuant to the ſaid Act.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt James Oliver, of the City of Exeter, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet at the Phœnix Inn, in Exeter, on Wedneſday the 23d Day of December inſtant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the Aſſignees ſelling by private Contract the Bankrupt's Reverſionary Intereſt in an Eſtate which he is intitled to under the Will of Mrs. Frances Fry, deceaſed.

THE Creditors of Griffith Williams, late of Pentre Gwaſaney, Gentleman, deceaſed, who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt him by the Name and Deſcription of "Griffith Williams, late of Pentre Gwaſaney, in the Pariſh of Mold in the County of Flint, and now of the Town of Mold in the ſame County, Dealer, Chapman and Money Scrivener," are deſired to meet the ſurviving Aſſignee of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 13th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Griffin, in Mold aforeſaid, to conſider of the Propriety or Impropriety of enforcing the Contracts made for the Purchaſe of the ſaid Bankrupt's Real Eſtate, and entered into by the ſeveral Purchaſers thereof, and to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignee's commencing and proſecuting Suits in Equity againſt the ſaid ſeveral Purchaſers to enforce ſuch Contracts; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors of the Eſtate of Meſſ. Curteis and Webb, late of Martin's-Lane, Cannon-Street, Merchants, who have not received the Dividend ordered on the 23d of June laſt, may receive the ſame on applying any Monday Morning in this and the following Month, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve, to Mr. John Wainewright, No. 26, Lincoln's Inn Old Square.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Cam, late of Rodborough in the County of Glouceſter, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 8th Day of January next, at Five in the Afternoon, at the George Inn, in Nailſworth in the Pariſh of Avening, in the ſaid County, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Gilliham, late of Charing Croſs in the County of Middleſex, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, may receive a Dividend of Six Shillings and Eight Pence in the Pound on their reſpective Debts by applying to Mr. Marſon, Solicitor, Church-Row, Newington Butts, Surry, any Day, between the Hours of Ten and Two.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Hine, of the City of Exeter, Money-Scrivener, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 7th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Half Moon Inn, in the ſaid City of Exeter, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; or ſelling, by private Contract, the Bankrupt's Houſehold Goods and Furniture, or any other Part of his Eſtate and Effects, and ratifying and performing any Agreement concerning the ſame made by the Bankrupt with his Brother and Siſters, or any other Perſon or Perſons; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Stephen Nocus, of Green-Street, in the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Toyman, Jeweller, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the ſurviving Aſſignee of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtaae and Effects, on the 31ſt Day of December inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Mr. Denner's, the Furnival's Inn Coffee-Houſe, Holborn, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing an Action at Law on a certain Bond entered into by John Demay, (ſince deceaſed) and John Goodſon and William Marſhall, to the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt, for Payment of 350l. and Intereſt, or to the compounding or giving up the ſaid Bond, and the Money due thereon; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Ingham, of Alderſgate-Street in the City of London, Money-Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 29th of December inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Office of J. and R. Willis, Warnford Court, Throgmorton-Sreet, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Bouſher, of Corſham in the County of Wilts, Butcher, Grazier, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 26th Day of December inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Mr. Lifely's, the King's Head Inn, in Chippenham in the County of Wilts, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of theſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing to any Matter or Thing relating thereto: And particularly to the proſecuting and carrying on a Suit inſtituted in the High Court of Chancery, by the ſaid Bankrupt, againſt John Awdry and Matthew Humphrys, Eſqrs. and others, for Recovery of a Sum of Money under the Will of one Iſaac Moody, deceaſed, aſſigned to the ſaid John Bouſher, the Bankrupt, by Samuel Ovens; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Anſtie, of Devizes in the County of Wilts, Clothier, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 18th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mark Burton, the Caſtle Inn, in Devizes aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees carrying into Execution a certain Contract or Agreement made and entered into by and between them and Mary Anſtie, Mother of the ſaid Bankrupt, for the Sale to her of the Bankrupt's Reverſionary Eſtate and Intereſt in the Freehold, Leaſehold, and other Property, deviſed and bequeathed to him in and by the Will of John Anſtie, his late Father, deceaſed: And alſo to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery or concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Wightman, late of Ludgate Hill in the City of London, Vintner, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt on the 24th Day of December inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Langbourn Ward Coffee-Houſe, Fenchurch-Street, London, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Blanchard, of Commerce-Row, Surry-Street, Blackfryars-Road, in the County of Surry, Cheeſemonger, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on the 30th of December inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Office of Meſſ. J. and R. Willis, in Warnford-Court, Throgmorton-Street, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PURſuant to an Order made by the Right Honorable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for James Nutt, of Leiceſter, in the County of Leiceſter, Wine and Brandy Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects for Fourteen Days, to be computed from the 26th Day of December inſtant: This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 9th of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Taſſell, of Rochford in the County of Eſſex, Carpenter, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 7th Days of January next, and on the 2d Day of February following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at the Blue Boar Inn, in Maldon, in the ſaid County of Eſſex, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Mitchell, Attorney, Maldon, Eſſex, or to Mr. William Browne, No. 9, Bedford Row, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Wooler, of North-Place, Gray's-Inn-Lane in the County of Middleſex, Haberdaſher, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th of December inſtant, on the 2d of January next, and on the 2d of February following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sittting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice Meſſ. King and Gatty, Cutlers-Hall, Cloak-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Morris the Younger, of Derby in the County of Derby, Silverſmith, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 13th Day of January next, at Six in the Evening, on the 14th Day of the ſame Month, and on the 2d of February following, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the King's Head, Derby, and

and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Lowten, of the Temple, London, or Mr. Upton, Derby.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Henry Aldridge, of Exeter-Street, Sloane-Street, in the Pariſh of St. Luke, Chelſea, in the County of Middleſex, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th Day of December inſtant, on the 5th Day of January next, and on the 2d Day of February following, at Eleven in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Greenland, Newcaſtle-Court.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Jonathan Coombs, of Theale in the County of Berks, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th of December inſtant, on the 2d of January next, and on the 2d of February following, at at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Shelton, Seſſion-Houſe, Old-Bailey, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Lyon Ralph, late of Barnſtaple in the County of Devon, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 9th of January next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, on the 23d of the ſame Month, at Nine in the Forenoon, and on the 2d of February following, at One in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Cokayne, Lion's-Inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Roe, now or late of Ombersley in the County of Worceſter, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 14th and 15th Days of January next, and on the 2d Day of February following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Bell, in the City of Worceſter, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Barnes, Attorney, Worceſter, or Mr. Thomas Williams, Solicitor, Curſitor-Street, Chancery-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Salter the Elder, of Boſton in the County of Lincoln, Miller, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th Day of December inſtant, on the 14th of January next, and on the 2d of February following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Woolpack Inn in Boſton, in the County of Lincoln, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. J. Wilſon, Caſtle-Street, Holborn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Holbird, of Noble-Street, Foſter-Lane, in the City of London, Upholſterer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th Day of December inſtant, at One in the Afternoon, on the 12th of January next, at Seven in the Evening, and on the 2d of February following, at One in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Taylor, Old-Street Road.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Stanford (formerly) of Liverpool in the County of Lancaſter, Wollen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, (dated the 15th Day of May, 1764) intend to meet on the 20th of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Star and Garter Tavern, in Paradiſe-Street, Liverpool, in order to make a Second and Final Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed. Such of the Creditors as reſide at a Diſtance may tranſmit the Proofs, &c. to Mr. W. Lupton, Solicitor, Liverpool.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Thomas and Henry Heſketh, of the City of Cheſter, Bankers and Copartners, intend to meet on the 18th Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Hotel in Cheſter, to make a Further Dividend of the joint Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupts amongſt their joint Creditors, and alſo a Dividend of each of their ſeparate Eſtates amongſt their reſpective ſeparate Creditors; when and where the joint and ſeparate Creditors of the ſaid Bankrupts reſpectively, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividends. And all Claims not then ſubſtantiated will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Atkinſon, of Theddlethorpe in the County of Lincoln, Jobber, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 14th Day of January next, at Eleven